## DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

### BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

| *Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.* | | *Current.* |
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| Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ... | Report not received. | Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas. |
| Ragi ... ... | | |
| Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ... | | |

### BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—The fields are being ploughed and manured in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks. Ploughing operations are reported to have been hindered for want of rain in parts of Nelamangala Taluk.

*Seeds sown.*—Sugar-cane in parts of Bangalore Taluk.

*Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane, paddy, naturagi and mulberry are in good condition.

*Damages to crops.*—Nil.

*Crops harvested.*—Sugar-cane in parts of Magadi Taluk. Vaishaki paddy in parts of Channapatna Taluk.

*Estimated outturn.*—Sugar-cane—Magadi Taluk, 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Want of rain is felt in parts of Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Channapatna Taluks; food stuffs are available, but the prices continue to be high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Plague prevails in parts of Bangalore and Devanhalli Taluks; influenza in parts of Nelamangala Taluk and small-pox in parts of Bangalore Taluk. Public health is otherwise generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala and Magadi Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

### KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Sugar-cane in the taluks of Kolar, Mulbagal, Chintamani, Srinivaspur, Bowringpet and Malur; gid ragi in the Kolar Taluk.

*Crops harvested and their outturn.*—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of all the taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 6 to 12 annas.

*Standing crops.*—Paddy, chillies, and sugar-cane are reported to be in fairly good condition.

10. Season prospects—Good. Prices of food grains—No change. Labour—Sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in a few places of the Chintamani Taluk.

12. Except for rinderpest in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Malur Taluks, cattle are generally healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

### TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tiptur Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; naturagi in parts of Pavagada Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur Taluk, yield 8 annas. Cotton in parts of Sira Taluk, yield 12 annas.

*Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, cotton, naturagi and jola are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices still continue to rule high.

11. Small-pox is prevailing in parts of Sira Taluk. The children are being vaccinated; the public health is good in the other parts of the district.

12. Foot and mouth disease is prevailing in parts of Maddagiri Taluk; rinderpest in parts of Maddagiri, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk. Assistant Veterinary Inspector is doing the needful. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Markets are well supplied. Prices are high.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manured in parts of Chamrajnagar, Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks.

*Crops sown* are ragi, jola, and til in parts of Hunsur Taluk; and they are reported to be in need of rain.

*Standing crops* are paddy, jola, togari, castor, ramtil, til, sugar-cane, avare, black and green grams, ragi, cotton, mulberry, tadagani and jute (sanabu) and they are reported to be in good condition in parts of Yedatore, Krishnarajpete, Nanjangud and Nagamangala Taluks, withering for want of rain in Gundlupet, T.-Narsipur, Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks and only fair in other taluks. These crops are generally reported to be in need of rain in all the taluks.

*Crops harvested* are sugar-cane in parts of Seringapatam (12 annas) and Nagamangala Taluks, and paddy in parts of Nagamangala Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available in sufficient quantities, but prices are as high as before.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet and Nanjangud Taluks; influenza in parts of Yedatore, Nagamangala, Malvalli, Krishnarajpete and Nanjangud Taluks, and cholera in parts of Hunsur Taluk. Small-pox in parts of Nagamangala Taluk is reported to be abating.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of Nagamangala and T.-Narsipur Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are fairly supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Car paddy and sugar-cane in all taluks, excepting Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks, are reported to be in a fair condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Nil.

*Crops sown.*—Til and jolam are being sown in parts of Channarayapatna Taluk.

10. Rainfall is eagerly expected. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Public health is generally good. Plague in parts of Hassan Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk, influenza in parts of Arkalgud, Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and malarial fever at Banavar are reported to be prevailing. Influenza is abating in Manjarabad Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manure collected in parts of Channagiri, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Tirthahalli and Shimoga Taluks.

*Seeds sown.*—Sowing of paddy is going on in parts of Shimoga and Tirthahalli Taluks.

*State of standing crops.*—Sugar-cane in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk and car paddy in parts of Sagar and Nagar Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Rain is wanted in all the taluks of the district.

11. Except for small-pox in a few villages of Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Nagar Taluks; fever in parts of Tirthahalli and Sagar Taluks, and plague in Hithal (Shikarpur Taluk) and Suragondanakoppa (Honnali Taluk) and influenza in Honnebyle (Nagar Taluk), public health is reported to be generally good.

12. Except for foot and mouth disease in a few villages of Shimoga and Shikarpur Taluks and rinderpest in two villages of the Shikarpur Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy.

Fodder and water are reported to be available.

## KADUR.

8. The markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Koppa and Tarikere Taluks.

*Crops sown.*—Koppa and Mudgere Taluks—paddy.

*Standing crops.*—Chikmagalur Taluk—Car paddy and sugar-cane. Kadur and Koppa Taluks—sugar-cane and paddy. Mudgere Taluk—Kode paddy. Narasimharajpur Sub-Taluk—sugar-cane.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Mudgere Taluk—Kode paddy. Estimated yield, 10 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Prices continue to be high.

The Amildars of the Kadur, Tarikere, Koppa and Chikmagalur Taluks have reported that rain is wanted.

11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in parts of the Chikmagalur, Koppa and Kadur Taluks, and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk; ague in parts of the Koppa and Kadur Taluks; and influenza in parts of the Koppa and Chikmagalur Taluks.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, cotton, sugar-cane and tobacco, are reported to be in fair condition.

*Seeds sown.*—Ragi in the Challakere Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Paddy and cotton in the Chitaldrug Taluk, (yield 10 annas); cotton and paddy, in the Challakere Taluk (yield 8 to 10 annas); paddy, cotton and sugar-cane in the Hiriyur Taluk (yield 8 annas); paddy in the Holalkere Taluk (yield 12 annas); paddy in the Molakalmuru Taluk (yield 8 annas); cotton in the Jagalur Taluk (yield 8 annas); paddy in the Hosdurga Taluk (yield 8 to 12 annas).

10. Prospects of the season fair. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Foodstuffs are available, but prices remain high as usual.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for rinderpest in certain villages of Challakere and Hosadurga Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

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